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DIVISION OF COMMERCIAL FISHERIES

FISHERY UPDATE



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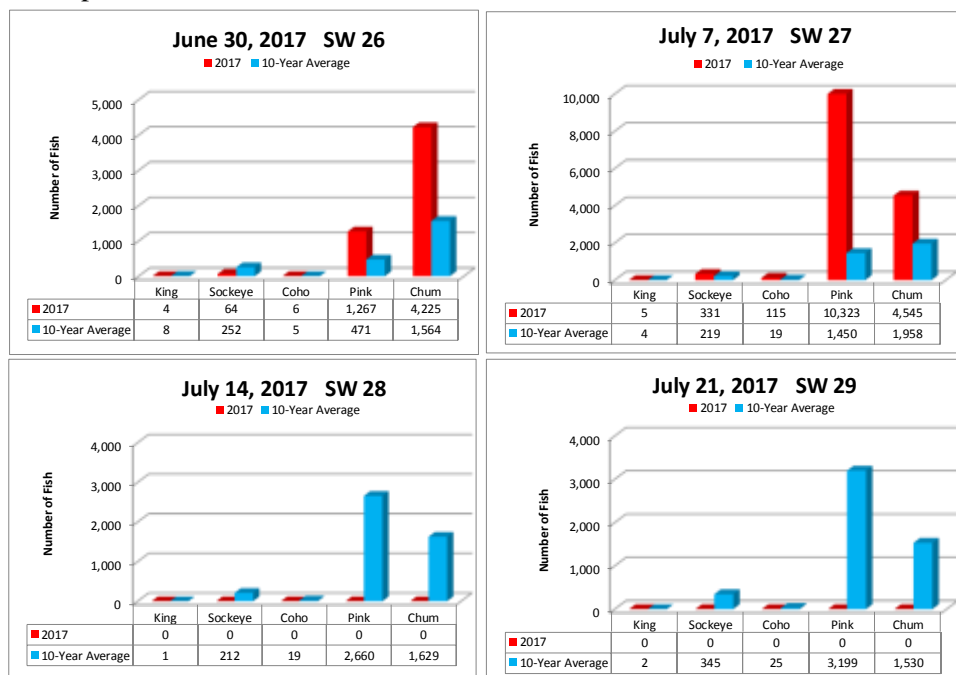
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2017 HAWK INLET TEST FISHERY UPDATE # 2

The department conducted the second of the 2017 Hawk Inlet shoreline test fisheries yesterday. Comparing the total harvests for the day to the ten-year average total harvests, all species were above average. For the approximate date, the pink salmon harvest was 712% of the ten-year average and 321% of the recent odd year average. The sockeye salmon harvest was 151% the ten-year average and the chum salmon harvest was 232% of the ten-year average. The June 30 test fishery harvest estimates in the figure below have been updated with fish ticket values.



The pink salmon sex ratio was 55% male, below the average of 60% male for previous years test fisheries conducted on or about this date.

Hawk Inlet test fishery updates will be posted on the ADF&G web site listed below.

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